

UPCOMING EVENTS

- April 12 -
Kingdom A&S
- May 10 -
Coronation
- May 23-26 -
Crossroads
XVI
- June 13-14 -
Known World
Heralds &
Scribes Sym-
posium
- June 13-22 -
Lilies War
- June 22 -
Caerthe
Champions
Challenge
- July 18-20 -
Fighter's Folly

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The Fortress

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BARONY OF CAERTHE

Caerthe's Champions Challenge

Sunday, June 22, 2014

Scout Park
Northglenn, CO

Event Coordinators:

Lord Servillo &
THL Ailinn Shadowfox

The competition for Caerthe's Warlord, Premier Blade, Archery Warden, *AND* Archery Warder will take place at a single event this year.

The location is Scout Park in the city of Northglenn, where our weekly Sunday morning archery practices take place during the warmer months of the year.

Come one, come all...and enjoy a spectacle of the finest martial artists the Barony of Caerthe has to offer.

Mark this date on your calendar now!!!

More details will be coming in the May and June issues of *The Fortress* and *The Outlandish Herald*, as well as various forms of electronic media.

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Baronial Retinue

Chatelaine -

Rivka Vladimirovna Rivkina

Ladies in Waiting -

Adelyn la Souteresse - Head Lady

Pettronella Pártaszövő

Isabella Richardi

Merry O'Shannon

Eva Elizabeth Tanllyd

Alditha de la Tye

Guards -

Mahowney M'Agaloglie - Captain of the Guard

Sander Tauernier

Rian Mac an Gobhann

Elaisse Fourniere d'Aubigny

Guenguiu

Warlord -

Ld Pai Wei Lung

Sword of Chivalry -

THL Alasdair Macdubhghail the Scot

Premier Blade -

Ld Servillo of Caerthe

Blade of Chivalry -

Mr Friedrich Wilhelmssohn

Black Glove -

Ly Caelainn ingen Chaemgein hui Thaide

Archery Warden -

THL Rothin in flamska

Archery Warder -

Earl Mika Longbow

A&S Champion -

THL Ailinn Shadowfox

Blackthorn Bard -

Ms Catrin von Berlin called

Gwen Cat

Crossroads XVI - The Crusades



As the snow and ice of winter melt – A Crusade is underway! Please join the Canton of Hawk's Hollow with Lady Alditha de la Tye as your guide for a Crusader themed Camping event.

Site:

Quint Valley Fairgrounds

568 US Highway 36

Byers, CO 80103

Directions to Site:

From the North or South take your best route to I-70 East to Exit 316, (Byers, Co). At the T-intersection at the end of the off-ramp, Turn Left (North) onto Main Street (North US 36) and proceed approximately ½ mile to Quint Valley Fairgrounds entrance (DIRT ROAD) on Left. ****Please Watch for SCA Signs****

Site Information:

Whether a pilgrim, crusader, or traveler be, come to our rustic camp area with shady trees, grassy fields, potable water, flush toilets, and porta-potties. Limited electrical hook-ups for Campers/RV's, Equestrian facilities and parking.



*****MERCHANTS ARE WELCOME - NEED ONLY PAY SITE FEE(S)*****

Send your reservations to: Michele Tillotson, 2100 W. 100th Ave., Lot 467 Thornton, CO 80260

Please include SCA Name, member number, and any additional member name(s) and number(s) that are included in your check payment. *** \$5.00 Non-Member surcharge will apply ***

	Adult	Child (6-14)	5 and Under
Camping Weekend (23rd - 26th)	\$15.00	\$7.00	FREE
Day Trip (each day)	\$6.00	\$3.00	FREE
Saturday Feast (limit 50)	\$8.00	\$4.00	FREE

A fabulous 5-course feast will be provided by Lord Reynhard Sebastian von Reutte.

***Remember feast is limited to 50 ***

Tentative Menu:

First Course: cheeses, stained eggs, mushroom in herbs

Second Course: Zanzarelli (Roman thick cheese soup)

Third Course: Shish-Kabobs, saffron rice, cucumbers in dilled cream sauce

Fourth Course: Fruit-stuff chicken in a heavy sauce, herbed fava beans, fruit bowl

Fifth Course: Bakalava, Dates in Honey, Sekanjabin

**** MORE INFORMATION CAN BE FOUND AT

<http://www.hawkshollow.org/?q=node/54>

OR ON FACEBOOK (UNDER SEARCH) *****CROSSROADS XVI (2014) THE CRUSADES*****

Inquiries: Lady Alditha de la Tye, aldithahere@gmail.com ph#720-227-8672



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Caerthean Cooks' Guild

On Sunday, April 27, 2014, Caerthe's Cooks' Guild will meet at 2:00 PM at Gwen Cat's home. Please bring a spring dish to share. Hopefully the weather will allow us to enjoy sunshine and bird-song outside. We may just chat and enjoy the season, or we may plan the next few meetings, or discuss a possible menu for an end of summer event, or we might even trek to a local garden center to fondle/shop for herbs and other 'grow your own edibles.' As the mood strikes those who attend.

Address: contact me at tgrcat2001 AT yahoo DOT com. Please note cat fur (and the contributors of same) is/are part of the environment. Smoking (of any inhalable) is not permitted.

*Thanks all
Purr
Gwen Cat*

Tips, Tricks & Techniques

Welcome to a new information column of The Fortress. This section will bring to all creative individuals information on tips, techniques and new tools available on all related arts and sciences.

Many artists are now using the Sakura Pigma Micron pens for their scroll work. "Sakura invented the micron pens as an inexpensive and disposable alternative to high-priced technical pens while maintaining technical-pen quality." The micron is best used on paper. The best paper is a smooth finish or hot press. The felt nib does not react well to other surfaces. The pen is best used at a 90 degree angle. Using this pen at a slight angle only shortens the life of the pen. Although the smaller sizes (005 and 01) give the best outlines for decorative illumination. These small point sizes are very fragile, do not take heavy-pressure and break easily. Do not shake. If the nib begins to skip or leak, the felt tip is clogged, or bent. On occasion, I have been able to wipe the nib very gently with a linen rag. No kleenex or paper towels. The ink in the pen is water-proof, fade proof, and archival.

An alternate choice for a more durable point and suited for everyday writing is the Gelly Roll or Sakura Sumogrip. I have not used the Sumogrip, but the colored Gelly Rolls are fun for non-scroll work. Gelly Rolls are great for children of all ages.

Fabric markers will be discussed when testing is completed.

Questions and information are always welcome.

*Lady Killian MacKenzie
Arts & Science Minister
Canton of Hawks Hollow*

Guilds

The Leatherworker's Guild is back! Guild meetings are at 2801 W Bates Ave, Denver, CO 80236 on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of the month. Contact THL Angus Montgomery the Forrester with any questions.

Other Guild Contacts:

Children's Guild: m'Lady Hewisia de Groote & Lady Taethen Maculagh

Cooks Guild: Mistress Gwen Cat

Fiber Guild: Mistress Diana Doria

Herbal & Apothecary Guild: Lady Morgan Cheyney

Jewelers' Guild: Dona Arcadia

Lampworkers' Guild: Baroness Celestina Sarti

Medieval Embellishments Guild: Lady Marie Dooley

Watch the Yahoo! and/or Facebook groups for updates on these Guilds.

If interested in starting a guild, contact the Baronial seneschal at:
seneschal@caerthe-sca.org

From Aspen Pursuivant

Heraldry is still happening in Caerthe. Ravenhyrst has been sending several submissions in. Bloodstone is with clients with submissions.

If you are thinking about taking a name or submitting a device, this is a good time. We are lucky to have Gauvain as the Castle Herald because he lives close.

We had some name submissions passed on the last LOAR and several devices turned down. Please work with the heralds and get your resubmission working again. Resubmissions of rejected name and armory submissions is still free, as long as we can find when and where it was paid for. The heralds are waiting for you to submit.

Lady Maire and Lady Crestina were given Gilded Leaflets at February's Tri-Baronial A&S competition. Please inform me if I miss an award given in the month and I will get it in the next newsletter.

Again I would ask everyone to check their listing on the Wimple Herald site to verify that the Kingdom has all your awards correct, along with your name and device. If you do not have the correct picture, please send a graphic to the Wharrow Herald for correction.

I will be having a heraldic consultation at the Hawk's Hollow Artist Gathering, starting the first Thursday of the month, starting in April. These will be taking place at the O'Meara Ford Community Room, west of I-25 on 104th Ave. There is WiFi, and we can conflict check ideas and look for heraldic charges online.

***THL Eric Morrison of Thistlekeep
Aspen Pursuivant***



Primary Title: Odysseus and the Daughters of Lycomedes

Make Name: Baldassare Peruzzi [Italian, 1481-1536]

Medium: Pen and brown ink, black chalk, heightened with white gouache; squared in black chalk for transfer

Date: about 1520

Source: J. Paul Getty Museum

**Digital image courtesy of the Getty's
Open Content Program.**

Camping Season Draws Nigh!

You saw it mentioned in last month's issue of The Fortress, and it's now on the calendar!

The Newcomers Survival Guide to Camping class will be held on Thursday, April 3 at 7PM at TASC. Bring your newcomers, bring your camping tips, and bring your War stories! I'll be there with a handout of tips (and packing list!) to share.

Mark your calendars now and get ready for a great year of SCA camping events!

***Until the next time,
THL Jibra'il 'Attar***

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Baronial Martial Activities

Archery -

Outdoor Practice -
suspended until Spring

Indoor Practices -
Gander Mountain, Aurora
Mondays 6 PM to 9 PM

TASC, Denver
Tuesdays 6:30 PM to 11:30 PM

Armored Combat -

Outdoor Practice -
suspended until Spring

Indoor Practice -
TASC, Denver
Wednesdays 6:30PM to 11 PM

Rapier Combat -

Indoor Practice -
TASC, Denver
Thursdays 6:30 PM to 11 PM

*** activities highlighted in red
are not Barony sanctioned activities,
but are listed here for your
convenience

Canton of Bloodstone

Officers:

Seneschal - Lady Morwyn
Exchequer - Lord Faolan O Lachain of
Galway
Herald - THL Jibra'il `Attar
Webminister - m'lady Lovelady

Web Page:

<http://bloodstone.caerthe-sca.org>

Activities:**Business Meeting -**

1st Wednesday @ 7 PM (bimonthly)
Englewood Public Library
Aldenbach Room.

*Archery and outdoor populace gatherings have been
suspended until the Spring. Contact the Canton Seneschal
for any questions about upcoming Canton gatherings.*

Canton of Hawks Hollow

Officers:

Seneschal - Mistress Diana Doria
Exchequer - THL Ailinn Shadowfox
Herald - THL Eric Morrison of Thistlekeep
A&S Minister - Lady Killian MacKenzie
Hospitaller - Lady Alditha de la Tye
Captain of Archers - Lord Wolfgang
Bienemann Vom Swartzwald
Webminister - Master Furukusu Masahide

Web Page:

<http://www.hawkshollow.org>

Activities:**Archery/Thrown Weapons Practice -**

Every Sunday, 10 AM - 12 Noon
Empty Quiver
7180 W 117th Ave, Unit C, Broomfield

Business Meeting -

4th Tuesday @ 7 PM
O'Meara Ford Community Room
400 W 104th Ave, Northglenn

A&S Gatherings -

1st Thursday @ 6:30 PM
O'Meara Ford Community Room
400 W 104th Ave, Northglenn

Canton of Ravenhyrst

Officers:

Seneschal - THL Avram ibn Gabriol
 Herald - Lord Fergus Campbell
 Exchequer - Lady Katrein Adler
 A&S Minister - Duchess Elisheva
 Knight Marshal - Lord Ciaran mac Cormaig
 Rapier Marshal - Dona Elena Isabella de Glastonbury
 Captain of Archers - Lord Corban Maculagh
 Webminister - Annika Hoglund

Web Page:

<http://www.ravenhyrst.org/>

Activities:

A&S Gatherings

3rd Monday @ 7 PM

Home of Duchess Elisheva

For information concerning populace gatherings and Canton activities, please contact the Canton Seneschal.

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College of Scola Metallorum

Seneschal - Lord Christoff Trost
 Knight Marshal - Finvid
 Hospitaller - Aurellia de Verde
 A&S Minister - Cair

Activities:

Fighter Practice -

Mondays @ 6:30 PM

Student Center, Colorado School of Mines

A&S Gatherings -

Tuesdays @ 6 PM

Hill Hall 300, Colorado School of Mines

Submitting to The Fortress & Disclaimer

The deadline for submissions to The Fortress is the 20th of the month prior to publication. (ie: May information would need to be received by April 20th, etc.)

Any photos, artwork, or articles submitted outside of Officer Letters or Event Flyers will need to have the accompanying Release Form included. These forms can be found on the Kingdom webpage here:

<http://www.outlands.org/Default.aspx?tabid=115>

No mundane names, contact information (personal E-Mail addresses or phone numbers), or photos of individuals can be published without the appropriate release form being provided.

Last page advertisements are available at no charge for Barony members who provide an SCA-related service. (Sorry...no home refinancing or telecommunications discounts!)

Disclaimer:

All information within this edition of The Fortress is assumed accurate at the time of publication. This information may change at any time, as announced on the Baronial and/or Canton Yahoo groups.

Any inaccuracies or missing information are not intentional. Please send any corrections to chronicler@caerthe-sca.org.

If you have any suggestions on how to improve The Fortress, please seek out THL Jibra'il 'Attar or send your feedback to the E-Mail address above.

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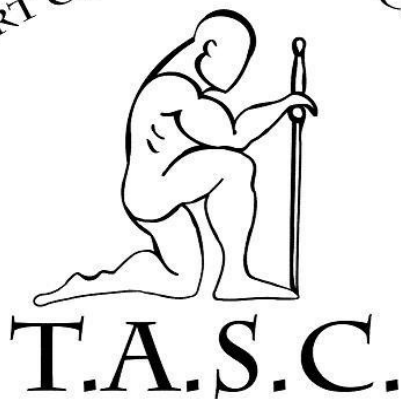
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THE ART OF SWORD AND CHIVALRY



Daily Use Punch Cards are \$10/per punch/per day.
(\$20 for families).

Memberships are available as follows:

Individual	\$50/month
Family	\$80/month
	(includes up to 4 children under age 19)

Observers and non-martial related activities (such as classes) are at no cost. Fees may apply for class materials and/or use of the armory work space, and will be announced ahead of time.

Members receive (1) free pass for a non-member per month, and have a private locker for gear storage. For additional information about membership rates or benefits, please contact Sir William Flannagan.

TASC is open Monday through Thursday, 6 PM to 11 PM with the following regularly scheduled activities:

Tues Archery
Wed Baronial Armored Combat Practice
Thurs Baronial Rapier Practice

Fridays - Sundays are available for events or other specific trainings. Class schedules are varied.

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